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**AMENDMENT**

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 Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the communication from the Examiner dated October 20, 2003, it is respectfully requested that this Amendment be entered and made of record. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration.

**Introductory Comments**

Claims 1-8, 12, 20, 21, 25, 33 and 41-58 are pending in the present application.

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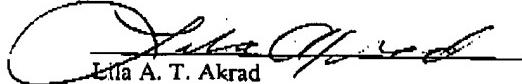
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